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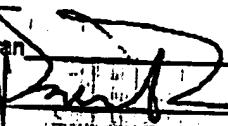
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the office communication mailed on March 15, 2005, for the above-referenced patent application, it is respectfully requested that the application be amended as follows and that the following remarks be considered:

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patentable over Dutta. Because claims 2-10 depend from and further limit claim 1, they are also patentable over Dutta.

Applicants submit that, at least for this reason, independent claims 11, 16, and 29 and their corresponding dependent claims are also patentable over Dutta.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite or assist in the allowance of the present application, the Examiner is invited to call David Tran at (408) 765-4692.

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0221 for any charges that may be due.

Respectfully submitted,



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